



## ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Department for Women, Children, Disabled and Senior Citizens - Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Smt K. Ratna Kumari, former CDPO (I/c), ICDS Project Venkatapuram, Khammam District [now retired], under Rule – 20 of A.P.C.S (CC & A) Rules, 1991 – Punishment of stoppage of 2% [two] in pension permanently, besides recovery for an amount of Rs.16,293/- – Orders – Issued.

---

### DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DISABLED AND SENIOR CITIZENS (ESTT)

G.O.Rt.No.179,

Dated:06-07-2016.

Read the following:-

Ref:-

1. The Director, W.D & C.W., A.P., Hyderabad, Pros.No.12386/C1/92, dt.09.06.92.
2. The Director, W.D & C.W., A.P., Hyderabad Pros.No.12386/C1/92, dt.17.06.92.
3. Charge Memo Issued by the EO on 04.09.92.
4. Explanation dt.24.10.92 of Smt. K. Ratna Kumari.
5. Lr.No.A/366/92 dt.16.12.92 of the EO and RDD, WD&CW, Warangal.
6. The Director, W.D & C.W., SCN No.12386/C1/92 dt.18.02.93.
7. Explanation dt.30.03.93 of Smt. K. Ratna Kumari.
8. The Director, W.D & C.W., Pros.No.12386/E3/92, dt.19.10.95.
9. Appeal Petition of Smt. K. Ratna Kumari. Dt.03.03.2000 from the Commissioner, W.D & C.W., A.P., Hyderabad,
10. Govt.Memo.1684/Estt-A2/2000-3, dt.17.01.01.
11. Show Cause Memo. No. 3404/Estt-A1/2000, dt:20.10.2008.
12. From the Director, WD&CW, T.S., Hyderabad, Lr.No.3050/Vig/2006, dated 17.10.2014.
13. Govt. Lr.No.3404/Estt.A2/2006, dated 17.01.2015.
14. Govt. Memo No.3404/Estt.A2/2006, dt:15.04.2015.
15. From the Secretary, TSPSC, Hyderabad, Lr.No.107/RT/TSPSC/2015, dated 16.06.2016.

\* \* \*

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> cited, the Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department, Hyderabad has placed Smt K. Ratna Kumari, the then Child Development Project Officer (CDPO) (I/c), ICDS Project, Venkatapuram, Khammam District, now Retired, under suspension as she failed to attend a review meeting conducted by the then Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department, Hyderabad on 04/06/1992 and the Anganwadi Workers of ICDS Project, Venkatapuram gave a petition for non-payment of honorarium to them regularly and non supply of play equipments etc., to Anganwadi Centres.

**P.T.O.**

2. In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> cited, the Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department, Hyderabad has appointed Regional Deputy Director, Warangal as Enquiry Officer under APSC (CCA) Rules, 1963 to conduct detailed enquiry into the allegations against the Accused Officer. Accordingly, the Enquiry Officer issued a charge Memo to the Accused Officer in the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> cited, obtained her explanation vide 4<sup>th</sup> cited, and Enquiry Officer submitted the Enquiry report to the Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department, Hyderabad vide reference 5<sup>th</sup> cited. After examining the Enquiry report in detail, the Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department, Hyderabad vide reference 6<sup>th</sup> cited, has issued Show Cause Notice to the Delinquent Officer duly indicating the punishment of "dismissal from service" and Delinquent Officer submitted her explanation vide reference 7<sup>th</sup> cited. As the representation did not reveal any valid reasons, the Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department, Hyderabad vide Procds.8<sup>th</sup> cited, has imposed the punishment of reduction to the lower post besides recovery of an amount of Rs.16,293/- for the charges held proved.

3. Against the above orders, the individual has submitted appeal petition to the Government and it has been rejected by the Government on 22/10/97. Again she submitted revision petition to the Government vide reference 9<sup>th</sup> cited and it was also rejected by the Government vide reference 10<sup>th</sup> cited.

4. Aggrieved by the above orders, the Charged Officer has filed O.A. No.3500/01 in Hon'ble APAT. As per the orders of Hon'ble APAT, after going through the enquiry report and taking into consideration the gravity of charges held proved, Government vide reference 11<sup>th</sup> cited, have issued a notice to the Charged Officer to show cause as to why a punishment of withholding the three (3) annual grade increments with cumulative effect besides recovery of an amount Rs.16,293/- towards loss caused to Government shall not be imposed against her within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of notice. While enclosing the served copy of the Show Cause Notice to the Charged officer, the Director, Women Development and Child Welfare, Telangana State, Hyderabad vide reference 12<sup>th</sup> cited, has informed that the Charged Officer has not submitted her explanation to the Show Cause Notice issued to her and the above Charged Officer has retired from the service on 31.05.2001, on attaining the age of superannuation.

5. In the circumstances stated above, Government after re-examination of the matter have provisionally decided to impose a punishment under Rule-9 of the A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 to withhold 2% [two] in pension, permanently, besides recovery of an amount of Rs.16,293/- towards loss caused to Govt., for the charges held proved against Smt K. Ratna Kumari, the then CDPO (I/c), ICDS Project, Venkatapuram, Khammam District, now Retired and also obtained the concurrence of Telangana State Public Service Commission in the reference 15<sup>th</sup> read above.

:: 3 ::

6. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby impose a punishment of withholding 2% [two] in pension, permanently, besides recovery of an amount of Rs.16,293/- towards loss caused to Govt., against Smt K. Ratna Kumari, the then CDPO (I/c), ICDS Project, Venkatapuram, Khammam District, now Retired under Rule-9 of the A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980

7. The Director, Women Development & Child Welfare, Telangana State, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

M. JAGADEESHWAR,  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

Smt K. Ratna Kumari, the then CDPO (I/c), ICDS Project, Venkatapuram, Khammam District, now Retired **through** the Director, Women Development & Child Welfare, T.S., Hyderabad.

The Director, W.D & C.W., Telangana State, Hyderabad.

**Copy to:-**

The Accountant General (A&E), T.S., Hyderabad.

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Telangana State, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, T.S. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.

SF/SCs.

/ / FORWARDED : : BY ORDER / /

SECTION OFFICER